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## REYNOLDS ALUMINUM

REYNOLDS METALS COMPANY • RICHMOND, VIRGINIA 23261

1981 June 09

### CERTIFIED MAIL RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency  
Region 5  
Sites Notification  
P. O. Box 7861  
Chicago, IL 60680

Re: EPA Superfund Notifications For:  
McCook  
Grand Rapids  
RASCO  
Building Products Plant

Dear Sir:

Please find attached completed Notification Forms for the various Reynolds facilities located within Region 5.

Reynolds believes that the interpretative notice and policy statement published in the Federal Register (46 FR 22144) in conjunction with the reporting requirements under Section 103(c) of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act of 1980 (hereafter "Superfund" or "Act") is imprecise and does not provide a complete interpretation of the Act's reporting requirements. Recent discussions with Agency representatives also indicates there is still some intra-Agency confusion as to the Agency's exact interpretation of the Act's reporting requirements.

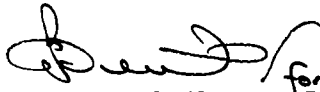
Therefore, submission of these notifications by Reynolds Metals Company is not in any way an admission that any of the above facilities now, or in the past, have ever generated hazardous wastes, or that these plants, now or in the past, were storers, treaters, or disposers of hazardous waste or that Reynolds is the owner or operator of hazardous waste management facilities. Reynolds Metals Company reserves the right to withdraw any of the attached notification forms at any time in the future. Further, due to the imprecise nature of these reporting requirements, Reynolds reserves the right to amend these notifications or to submit additional information at any time in the future.

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We request that this letter be attached to and made a permanent part of the attached notifications. If you have any questions please contact C. R. Bent at (804/281-2918) or myself at (804/281-3871).

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Lawrence C. Tropea, J.r.", with a stylized flourish at the end.

Lawrence C. Tropea, J.r, P.E.  
Director of Environmental Control  
Environmental Control Department

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Attachments



# Notification of Hazardous Waste Site

United States  
Environmental Protection  
Agency  
Washington DC 20460

This initial notification information is required by Section 103(c) of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act of 1980 and must be mailed by June 9, 1981

Please type or print in ink. If you need additional space, use separate sheets of paper. Indicate the letter of the item which applies.

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## A Person Required to Notify:

Enter the name and address of the person or organization required to notify.

Name Reynolds Metals Company  
Street 6601 West Broad Street  
City Richmond State VA Zip Code 23261

## B Site Location:

Enter the common name (if known) and actual location of the site

Name of Site McCook Sheet & Plate Plant  
Street P. O. Box 239 - 1st Avenue & 49th Street  
City Brookfield County Cook State IL Zip Code 60513

## C Person to Contact:

Enter the name, title (if applicable), and business telephone number of the person to contact regarding information submitted on this form

Name (Last, First and Title) Bent, Charles, Staff Env. Engineer  
Phone 804/281-2918

## D Dates of Waste Handling:

Enter the years that you estimate waste treatment, storage, or disposal began and ended at the site

From (Year) 1946 To (Year) 1981

## E Waste Type: Choose the option you prefer to complete

**Option 1:** Select general waste types and source categories. If you do not know the general waste types or sources, you are encouraged to describe the site in Item I—Description of Site.

### General Type of Waste:

Place an X in the appropriate boxes. The categories listed overlap. Check each applicable category.

- 1. ☐ Organics
- 2. ☐ Inorganics
- 3. ☒ Solvents
- 4. ☐ Pesticides
- 5. ☒ Heavy metals
- 6. ☐ Acids
- 7. ☐ Bases
- 8. ☐ PCBs
- 9. ☐ Mixed Municipal Waste
- 10. ☐ Unknown
- 11. ☐ Other (Specify)

### Source of Waste:

Place an X in the appropriate boxes.

- 1. ☐ Mining
- 2. ☐ Construction
- 3. ☐ Textiles
- 4. ☐ Fertilizer
- 5. ☐ Paper/Printing
- 6. ☐ Leather Tanning
- 7. ☐ Iron/Steel Foundry
- 8. ☐ Chemical, General
- 9. ☐ Plating/Polishing
- 10. ☐ Military/Ammunition
- 11. ☐ Electrical Conductors
- 12. ☐ Transformers
- 13. ☐ Utility Companies
- 14. ☐ Sanitary/Refuse
- 15. ☐ Photofinish
- 16. ☐ Lab/Hospital
- 17. ☐ Unknown
- 18. ☒ Other (Specify)

rolling of aluminum  
sheet & plate

**Option 2:** This option is available to persons familiar with the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) Section 3001 regulations (40 CFR Part 261)

### Specific Type of Waste:

EPA has assigned a four-digit number to each hazardous waste listed in the regulations under Section 3001 of RCRA. Enter the appropriate four-digit number in the boxes provided. A copy of the list of hazardous wastes and codes can be obtained by contacting the EPA Region serving the State in which the site is located.


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## Notification of Hazardous Waste Site

## Side Two

**F Waste Quantity:**

Place an X in the appropriate boxes to indicate the facility types found at the site

In the "total facility waste amount" space give the estimated combined quantity (volume) of hazardous wastes at the site using cubic feet or gallons.

In the "total facility area" space, give the estimated area size which the facilities occupy using square feet or acres

**Facility Type**

- 1 ☐ Piles  
2 ☐ Land Treatment  
3 ☒ Landfill  
4 ☐ Tanks  
5 ☒ Impoundment  
6 ☐ Underground Injection  
7 ☐ Drums, Above Ground  
8 ☐ Drums, Below Ground  
9 ☐ Other (Specify) \_\_\_\_\_

**Total Facility Waste Amount**

cubic feet Unknown

gallons \_\_\_\_\_

**Total Facility Area** 154860

square feet 2400 sq. ft. - impoundment

acres 3.5 acres - landfill

**G Known, Suspected or Likely Releases to the Environment:**

Place an X in the appropriate boxes to indicate any known, suspected, or likely releases of wastes to the environment

☐ Known ☐ Suspected ☐ Likely ☒ None

**Note:** Items H and I are optional. Completing these items will assist EPA and State and local governments in locating and assessing hazardous waste sites. Although completing the items is not required, you are encouraged to do so.

**H Sketch Map of Site Location: (Optional)**

Sketch a map showing streets, highways, routes or other prominent landmarks near the site. Place an X on the map to indicate the site location. Draw an arrow showing the direction north. You may substitute a publishing map showing the site location.

**I Description of Site: (Optional)**

Describe the history and present conditions of the site. Give directions to the site and describe any nearby wells, springs, lakes, or housing. Include such information as how waste was disposed and where the waste came from. Provide any other information or comments which may help describe the site conditions.

**J Signature and Title:**

The person or authorized representative (such as plant managers, superintendents, trustees or attorneys) of persons required to notify must sign the form and provide a mailing address (if different than address in item A). For other persons providing notification, the signature is optional. Check the boxes which best describe the relationship to the site of the person required to notify. If you are not required to notify check "Other".

Name Lawrence C. Tropea, Jr.

Street 6601 West Broad Street

City Richmond State VA Zip Code 23261

Signature 

Date 81-06-09

- ☒ Owner, Present  
☐ Owner, Past  
☐ Transporter  
☐ Operator, Present  
☐ Operator, Past  
☐ Other